



## Utility Worker

**Department:** Utilities

**Class Code:** 3221

**EEO Code:** 28

**FLSA:** N

**Effective:** 01/08/1992

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### **GENERAL STATEMENT OF DUTIES:**

Under general supervision; performs work of routine difficulty repairing and maintaining water distribution, wastewater collection, water treatment and wastewater treatment facilities for Chesterfield County; and performs other work as required.

### **SPECIFIC STATEMENT OF DUTIES:**

Maintains building and grounds; inspects plant equipment for proper operation; repairs small engines and chemical feeders; lubricates equipment; constructs or modifies facilities for storage; installs new equipment; installs piping; operates trucks and vehicles; adjusts manholes; maintains easements; cleans and maintains pump stations; tamps excavated areas with pneumatic tamper; operates hydraulic sewer cleaning equipment; disassembles, repairs or replaces damaged or worn parts in electric check valves, pressure reducing valves, air relief valves, pressure regulatory valves and altitude valves; performs routine maintenance on pumps and pump controls; maintains, adjusts, inspects and repairs all equipment at wastewater treatment, water treatment, water distribution and wastewater collection facilities; repairs leaking meters and service lines; maintains fire hydrants; spreads, rolls and tamps asphalt or similar material to form surfaces for streets, parking lots etc.; tests and installs meters; and performs other work as required.

### **REQUIRED SKILLS, KNOWLEDGE AND ABILITIES:**

Good knowledge of the operation and maintenance techniques pertaining to pumping stations and treatment plant equipment; of safe working practices; of sewer cleaning and repair methods; of tool and methods of the mechanical trade; some knowledge of electricity and electronics.

Working skill in performing a variety of skilled and semi-skilled maintenance and manual tasks; in operating and maintaining motor vehicles; in cleaning and repairing sewer lines and manholes; in operating, repairing, maintaining and testing pumping stations and treatment plant equipment; in effectively communicating with supervisors, co-workers and the general public.

Ability to work in confined spaces; to climb, bend, stoop and reach; to operate heavy equipment such as jackhammers, tampers and pumps; to perform heavy manual labor.

### **MINIMUM EDUCATION AND EXPERIENCE:**

Completion of the core curriculum for a high school diploma and one year of experience in the operation and maintenance of water distribution, wastewater collection, water treatment or wastewater treatment facilities and equipment; or an equivalent combination of training and experience.

### **ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS:**

Must possess valid vehicle operator's license. Commercial driver's license may be required, according to assignment.

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| <p>This class specification is not intended to describe and does not necessarily list the essential job functions for a given position in a classification.</p> |
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